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TITLE 6-AGRICULTURAL CREDIT

Chapter I—Farm Credit Administration, Department of Agriculture

Subchapter A—Administrative Provisions
[Farm Credit Administration Order 561]

PART 4-PUBLIC INFORMATION

OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION AND OF CORPORATIONS FUNCTIONING THEREUNDER

Subparagraph (5) of paragraph (a) of § 4.1 of Title 6 of the Code of Federal Regulations is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 4.1 Officers and employees of Farm Credit Administration and of corporations functioning thereunder. (a) * * *

(5) Shall accept or receive any salary, fee, commission, honorarium, or substantial gift, or other benefit for any purpose or in any way, directly or indirectly, from any borrower from or debtor to the Farm Credit Administration or any such corporation, or from any loan applicant or representative thereof: Provided, however That such officer, employee, or agent may, with the written approval of the Governor and upon such conditions as the Governor may prescribe, accept compensation from such borrower, debtor, applicant, or representative for bona fide services rendered while on leave of absence without pay. (Sec. 17, 39 Stat, 375, sec. 2, 42 Stat. 1459, sec. 6, 44 Stat. 803, sec. 4, 46 Stat. 13, sec. 6, 47 Stat. 14, sec. 201 (e), 47 Stat. 713, secs. 1-43, 48 Stat. 257, as amended; 7 U.S. C. 456, 12

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I. W DUGGAN, Governor.

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TITLE 16—COMMERCIAL PRACTICES

Chapter I—Federal Trade Commission

[Docket 5823]

PART 3—DIGEST OF CEASE AND DESIST ORDERS

C. G. WHITLOCK CHEMICAL CO.

Subpart—Advertising falsely or misleadingly: § 3.170 Qualities or properties

of product or service; § 3.195 Safety. Subpart—Misbranding or mislabeling: § 3.1185 Composition; § 3.1200 Qualities or properties; § 3.1315 Safety. In connection with the offering for sale, sale or distribution in commerce, of an anti-freeze solution designated "FRIGID-O-BG" representing (1) that its said product, or any other product of substantially similar composition, is an antifreeze preparation for use in cooling systems of internal combustion engines, without affirmatively stating in a clear and conspicuous manner in immediate conjunction with such representation that said preparation will rust and corrode the cooling system of such an engine and clog the passages in such cooling system and otherwise damage such engine; (2) that its said product contains an effective rust inhibitor and will prevent rust or corrosion of all parts of the engine which it may contact, and particularly the cooling system; (3) that its said product will not expand, overflow or be lost in normal operation; or, (4) that its said product will maintain a water level in the radiator to the extent that the engine will not overheat, or that it is a permanent type anti-freeze; prohibited.

(Sec. 6, 38 Stat. 722; 15 U. S. C. 40. Interprets or applies sec. 5, 38 Stat. 719, 23 amended; 15 U. S. C. 40) [Case and desirt order, C. G. Whitlock Chemical Company, Springfield, III., Docket 5823, November 20, 1952]

This proceeding was heard by Henry P. Alden, hearing examiner, upon the complaint of the Commission, respondent's answer, and hearings at which testimony and other evidence in support of the allegations of the complaint were introduced before said examiner, theretofore duly designated by the Commission.

Thereafter following the retirement from the service of said examiner, a hearing was held before Webster Ballinger, hearing examiner theretofore duly designated and appointed in the place of said Henry P. Alden, and evidence was introduced by counsel for the complaint for and on behalf of the respondent before said examiner, respondent failing to appear, and hearings were closed and the testimony and other evidence duly filed and recorded in the office of the Commission.

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Thereafter the proceeding regularly came on for final consideration by said examiner on the complaint, the answer thereto, testimony and other evidence, proposed findings as to the facts and conclusion based thereon submitted by counsel for the complaint, none having been filed by counsel for respondent, and oral argument not having been requested, and said examiner, having duly considered the record in the matter, and having found it to be in the interest of the public, made his initial decision, comprising certain findings as to the facts, conclusion drawn therefrom, and order to cease and desist.

^{*}Filed as part of the original document.

No appeal having been filed from said mitial decision of said hearing examiner as provided for in Rule XXII, nor any other action taken as thereby provided to prevent said mitial decision becoming the decision of the Commission thirty days from service thereof upon the parties, said initial decision, including said order to cease and desist, accordingly, under the provisions of said Rule XXII became the decision of the Commission on November 20, 1952.

The said order to cease and desist is as follows:

It is ordered, That C. G. Whitlock Chemical Company, a corporation, its successors or assigns, officers, agents, representatives and employees, directly or through any corporate or other device, in connection with the offering for sale, in commerce is defined in the Federal Trade Commission Act, of an antifreeze solution designated "FRIGID-O-BG" do forthwith cease and desist from:

- 1. Representing that its product "FRIGID-O-BG," or any other product of substantially similar composition, is an anti-freeze preparation for use in cooling systems of internal combustion engines, without affirmatively stating in a clear and conspicuous manner in immediate conjunction with such representation, that said preparation will rust and corrode the cooling system of such an engine and clog the passages in such cooling system and otherwise damage such engine.
- 2. Representing that its product "FRIGID-O-BG" contains an effective rust inhibitor and will prevent rust or corrosion of all parts of the engine which it may contact, and particularly the cooling system.
- 3. Representing that its product "FRIGID-O-BG" will not expand, over-flow or be lost in normal operation.
- 4. Representing that its product "FRIGID-O-BG" will maintain a water level in the radiator to the extent that the engine will not overheat, or that it is a permanent type anti-freeze.

By "Decision of the Commission and order to file report of compliance," Docket 5823, November 20, 1952, which announced and decreed fruition of said initial decision, report of compliance was required as follows:

It is ordered, That the respondent herein shall, within sixty (60) days after service upon it of this order, file with the Commission a report in writing setting forth in detail the manner and form in which it has complied with the order to cease and desist.

Issued: November 20, 1952.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

D. C. DANIEL, Secretary.

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PART 3—DIGEST OF CEASE AND DESIST ORDERS

LYNCH'S DIATHERMY CO.

Subpart-Neglecting, unfairly or dcceptively, to make material disclosure: § 3.1890 Safety. In connection with the sale, offering for sale or distribution of a device designated as "Lynch's Short Wave Diathermy" or any other device of substantially similar character, whether sold under the same name or any other name, directly or indirectly, disseminating, etc., any advertisements by means of the United States mails, or in commerce, or by any means to induce, etc., directly or indirectly, the purchase in commerce, etc., of said device, which advertisements fail to clearly and conspicuously reveal that said device is not safe for use in the home for any self-diagnosed condition unless and until a competent medical authority has determined, as a result of diagnosis, that the use of diathermy is indicated and has prescribed the frequency and rate of application of the treatments and the user has been adequately instructed by a trained technician in the use of such device; prohibited. (Sec. 6, 38 Stat. 722; 15 U.S. C. 46. Interpreta or applies sec. 5, 38 Stat. 719, as amended; 15 U. S. C. 45) [Cease and desist order, Paul T. Lynch trading as Lynch's Diathermy Company, Philadelphia, Pa., Docket 5939, November 18, 19521

This proceeding was heard by J. Earl Cox, hearing examiner, upon the complaint of the Commission, respondent's answer, and a stipulation, entered into by and between counsel in support of the complaint and the respondent, that a statement of facts dictated into and made a part of the record in the proceeding might be taken as the facts in said proceeding and in lieu of evidence in support of and in opposition to the charges in the complaint, and might serve as the basis for findings as to the facts and conclusion based thereon, and order disposing of the proceeding, without presentation of proposed findings and conclusions or oral argument?

Thereafter the proceeding regularly came on for final consideration by said examiner, theretofore duly designated by the Commission, upon the complaint. answer and stipulation which had been approved by said examiner and which expressly provided that upon appeal to or review by the Commission, it might be set aside by the Commission and the matter remanded for further proceedings under the complaint, and said examiner, having duly considered the record in the matter and having found that the proceeding was in the interest of the public, made his initial decision, comprising certain findings as to facts.i conclusion drawn therefrom, and order to cease and desist.

No appeal having been filed from said initial decision of said hearing examiner as provided for in Rule XXII, nor any

other action taken as thereby provided to prevent said initial decision becoming the decision of the Commission thirty days from service thereof upon the parties, said initial decision, including said order to cease and desist, accordingly, under the provisions of said Rule XXIII became the decision of the Commission on November 18, 1952.

The said order to cease and desist is as follows:

It is ordered, That the respondent Paul L. Lynch, designated and referred to in the complaint as Paul T. Lynch, an individual trading as Lynch's Diathermy Company, or under any other name, his agents, representatives and employees, directly or through any corporate or other device, in connection with the sale, offering for sale or distribution of a device designated as "Lynch's Short Wave Diathermy" or any other device of substantially similar character, whether sold under the same name or any other name, do forthwith cease and desist from, directly or indirectly

1. Disseminating or causing to be disseminated, by means of the United States mails, or by any means in commerce, as "commerce" is defined in the Federal Trade Commission Act, any advertisement for the purpose of inducing or which is likely to induce, directly or mdirectly the purchase of respondent's device, which advertisement fails to clearly and conspicuously reveal that said device is not safe for use in the home for any self-diagnosed condition unless and until a competent medical authority has determined, as a result of diagnosis, that the use of diathermy is indicated and has prescribed the frequency and rate of application of the treatments and the user has been adequately instructed by a trained technician in the use of such device:

2. Disseminating or causing to be disseminated any advertisement by any means for the purpose of inducing, or which is likely to induce, directly or indirectly, the purchase in commerce, as "commerce" is defined in the Federal Trade Commission Act, of respondent's device, which advertisement fails to comply with the requirements set forth in Paragraph 1 hereof.

By "Decision of the Commission and order to file report of compliance," Docket 5999, November 18, 1952, which announced and decreed fruition of said initial decision, report of compliance was required as follows:

It is ordered, That the respondent herein shall, within sixty (60) days after service upon him of this order, file with the Commission a report in writing setting forth in detail the manner and form in which they have complied with the order to cease and desist.

Issued: November 18, 1952.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] D. C. DAY

D. C. Daniel, Secretary.

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TITLE 15—COMMERCE AND FOREIGN TRADE

Chapter III—Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce

Subchapter C—Office of International Trade
[6th Gen. Rev. of Export Regs., Amdt. 321]

PART 373—LICENSING POLICIES AND RELATED SPECIAL PROVISIONS

PART 375-BLT (BLANKET) LICENSE

PART 381—Enforcement Provisions

PART 382—DENIAL OR SUSPENSION OF EXPORT PRIVILEGES

PART 398—PRIORITY RATINGS AND SUPPLY ASSISTANCE

MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS

- 1. Section 373.2 Special provisions for iron and steel is amended in the following particulars:
- a. The first unnumbered subparagraph of paragraph (a) Iron and steel products with Processing Code STEE is numbered and titled "(1) Applicability"

The remainder of the subparagraph is unchanged.

b. Subparagraph (1) Applications of paragraph (a) is deleted.

c. The Note following paragraph (b) Iron and steel commodities subject to export licensing general policy, subparagraph (3) Applications in excess of quotas; refiling is deleted.

2. Section 373.29 Special provisions for certain totally allocated commodities, paragraph (a) Commodities included is amended by deleting from the table set forth therein the following commodity entry.

Commodity	Relevant NPA order	Required NPAF Form	
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3. Section 373.51 Supplement 1. time schedules for submission of applications for licenses to export certain Positive List commodities is amended by deleting the following entries and related submission dates:

Dept. of Com-		Submission dates				
merce Schedule B No.	Commodity	Fourth quarter 1952	First quarter 1953			
618957 618959 619034 619034 619039	Commodities other than controlled materials: Copper and manufactures: Copper-base alloy pipe fittings (including brass and bronze) Copper pipe fittings. Brass and bronze welding electrodes and welding rods (including phosphor bronze). Phosphor copper brazing rods and wire Copper welding rods and wires Aluminum and manufactures: Aluminum shcets, corrugated	Sept. 1-Sept. 15,	Dec. 1-Dec. 15, 1952.			

- 4. Part 373—BLT (Blanket) License is amended in the following particulars:
- a. Section 375.1 BLT (Blanket) license is amended to read as follows:
- § 375.1 BLT (Blanket) license. Under the provisions of this part there is established an alternative procedure for the exportation of commodities requiring a validated license. Pursuant to this procedure, application may be made for a BLT (Blanket) license (with exception of applications to export rice, Schedule B Nos. 105500, 105710, and 105750) which, if issued, authorizes exportation of the same commodity to two or more consignees in the same country of destination.
- b. Section 375.2 Commodities subject to procedure is deleted.
- c. Section 375.3 Application requirements is renumbered § 375.2. The section is further amended as follows: Paragraph (b) Orders is deleted. Paragraphs (c) Preparation of application and (d) Submission of applications are redesignated respectively paragraphs (b) and (c)
- d. The Note following paragraph (d) Submission of applications is deleted and
- ¹This amendment was published in Current Export Bulletin No. 694, dated February 12, 1953.

- a new paragraph (d) is added to read as follows:
- (d) Processing of applications. (1) The Office of International Trade will leave intact, as nearly as possible, the list of proposed consignees submitted with each BLT application. This will enable the applicant to select the specific consignee to whom he prefers to ship in the event the entire quantity approved is less than that applied for, although no one consignee may receive more out of the total quantity approved than the amount specified for him on the list attached to the BLT application.
- (2) If the Office of International Trade finds that it will require an extended period of time to process a BLT application because of the necessity for prolonged consideration of one or more proposed ultimate consignees, a blanket license will be issued excluding such consignee or consignees. By this method, undue delay will be avoided in processing the application. The Office of International Trade in such instances will notify the applicant that an individual license application may be submitted to cover each excluded consignee.
- e. Section 375.4 Export clearance and § 375.5 Validity period are renumbered respectively § 375.3 and § 375.4.
- f. Section 375.6 Other applicable pronisions is renumbered § 375.5 and amended to read as follows:

- § 375.5 Effect of other provisions. Insofar as consistent with the provisions of this part, all of the provisions of Parts 370 to 399, inclusive, of this subchapter shall apply equally to applications for and licenses issued under this part.
- 5a. Section 381.5 Return or unloading of cargo at direction of Department of Commerce is amended to read as follows:
- § 381.5 Return or unloading of cargo at direction of Department of Commerce or Collector of Customs—(a) Exporting carriers. (1) As used in this section, the term "exporting carrier" includes connecting or on-forwarding carriers, as well as the owner, charterer, agent, master, and any other person in charge of the vessel, aircraft, or other kind of carrier, whether such persons are located in the United States or in a foreign country.
- (2) The Office of International Trade or any United States collector of customs, where there is reasonable grounds for believing that a violation of export control regulations (Parts 370 through 399 of this subchapter) has occurred or will occur with respect to a particular exportation from the United States, may order any exporting carrier carrying such shipment, or which is otherwise in possession or control thereof, to return or unload the shipment. Such exporting carrier shall as ordered either (i) return such shipment to the United States or cause it to be so returned, or (ii) unload such shipment at a port of call and take steps to assure that such shipment is placed in custody under bond or other guaranty not to enter the commerce of any foreign country without prior approval of the Office of International Trade. For the purpose of this provision, the furnishing of a copy of the order to any person included within the definition of exporting carrier shall be sufficient notice of the order to the exporting carrier.
- (3) The provisions of § 381.4 (f) relating to reporting, notification to the Office of International Trade, and the prohibition against unauthorized delivery or entry of the commodity into a foreign country shall apply also to commodities directed to be unloaded at a port of call, as provided in this section.
- (b) Notification. Upon discovery by an owner, agent, or other person included within the term "exporting carrier" as defined in paragraph (a) of this section, that a violation of export control regulations has occurred or will occur with respect to a shipment on board, or otherwise in the possession or control of the carrier, such person shall immediately notify the Office of International Trade, Washington 25, D. C., and the person in actual possession or control of the shipment.
- b. The Note following § 381.5 is unchanged.
- 6. Section 382.51 Table of compliance orders currently in effect denying export privileges, paragraph (b) Table of compliance orders, is amended by adding the following entries:

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7 Section 398 8 Supply

In filling out section IV-B of Form PAD-26A, covering requirements of manclude only those items for which pilority assistance is required Items of manu-

paragraph (f):

ufactured machinery or equipment, in-

No. 703155. The commodities have been reclassified by the Bureau of the Census under Schedule B No. 703155. The commodities are not specifically menthoned in the present entries under Edwever, since these commodities are not specifically menthoned in the present entries under Schedule B Nos 703020 703825, and 703850, those cutries remain melanged on the Positive List. However, since these 2 by this amendment, the entry presently on the Positive List under Schedule B Nos 703020 is revested to read as follows: "Military appared of all types and materials (new and used) is revised to read as follows: "Military acids, shoptened of all types and materials (new and used) shippers and overshoes (other than electrically heated); shoes, hoots, slippers and overshoes (other than electrically heated) and specially insided, is allow, hoots and Material Corps attained for service of a foreign country, such an smilltary academic police forces customs officials, etc., provided not identical to mys U. S. military academic police forces uniformed from parts of the U. S. Army, Air Force, Marine Corps, and Conte Gonte Guard uniformed from parts of the U. S. Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and Conte Guard uniformed (see § 373 20 of this subchapter)".

н [6th Gen Rev of Export Regs, Amdt 301]

PART 399-POSITIVE LIST OF COLLICODITIES AND RELATED MATTERS

LISCELLANEOUS ALIENDAIENTS

Section 399 1 Appendix A—Positive List of Commodities is amended in the arc commodities following particulars: 1 The following 8. O 1015, factured machinery or equipment not requiring priority assistance should be included in section III-D of this form This amendment shall become effective

3, 63 Stat. 7; 65 Stat. 43; 50 U Sup 2023; E O 6630, Sopt. 27,

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This part of the amendment shall become effective as of February 12, 1953.

Shipments of any commodities removed from general license to Country Group R or Country Group O destinations, or whose GLV dollar-value limits are reduced, as a result of changes set forth in items 1, 3, and 4 of this amendment which were on dock, on lighter, laden aboard an exporting carrier, or in transit to a port of exit pursuant to actual orders for export prior to 12:01 a.m., February 19, 1953, may be exported under the previous general license provisions up to and including March 14, 1953. Any such shipment not laden aboard the exporting carrier on or before March 14, 1953, requires a validated license for export.

(Sec. 3, 63 Stat. 7; 65 Stat. 43; 50 U. S. C. App. Sup. 2023. E. O. 9630, Sept. 27, 1945, 10 F. R. 12245, 3 CFR, 1945 Supp., E. O. 9919, Jan. 3, 1948, 13 F. R. 59, 3 CFR, 1948 Supp.)

Loring K. Macy, Director Office of International Trade. [F. R. Doc. 53–1658; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:51 a. m.]

TITLE 32A—NATIONAL DEFENSE, APPENDIX

Chapter II—Economic Stabilization Agency

[Interpretation 1]

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ON THE SUSPENSION OF WAGE AND SALARY CONTROLS BY EXECUTIVE ORDER 10434, ISSUED FEBRUARY 6, 1953 ¹

- 1. Q. Do wage, salary or other compensation adjustments made on or after February 6, 1953, require approval under the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended?
 - A. No.
- 2.-Q. May new wage, salary, or other compensation adjustments be made retroactive to a date when controls were in effect?
- A. Any adjustments determined or agreed upon on or after February 6, 1953, may be made without violating the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended. This does not determine, however, that such retroactive payments are or are not permissible tax deductions for the year in which the services paid for were performed; or that such retroactive

payments will necessarily be recognized as permissible reimbursable expense by Government procurement agencies, under the statutes applicable to their operations.

3. Q. What is the effect of the suspension of wage and salary controls on wage and salary agreements or determinations by private parties which were made before February 6, 1953, where petitions were pending before the stabilization agencies?

A. The wage and salary adjustments contained in "petitions pending" before the wage and salary control agencies may be put into effect at this time as of the proposed effective date. Agreements expressly conditioned on the approval of stabilization agencies are deemed approved according to the Executive Order.

4. Q. What is a "petition pending"

4. Q. What is a "petition pending" before the stabilization agencies within the meaning of Executive Order 10434?

A. A petition pending before the stabilization agencies is any petition, including petitions for review, reconsideration or appeal, properly filed in accordance with the applicable procedural regulation on or before February 6, 1953, and not disposed of on or before February 6, 1953.

5. Q. A party, who has exhausted all remedies available under the applicable procedural regulation, has filed a request for further reconsideration of the previous action by the appropriate agency. Is a "petition pending" within the meaning of Executive Order 10434?

A. No. A petition is not pending where a party invokes a procedure not provided for in the applicable procedural regulation.

6. Q. Is a petition for review, reconsideration, or appeal "pending" if it has not in fact been filed but the time within which it could have been filed has not expired?

A. No. Only those petitions which were actually filed with the appropriate agency on or before February 6, 1953, are "pending" within the meaning of the Executive Order.

7. Q. A petition for approval of a wage, salary, or other compensation adjustment was denied or modified by a stabilization agency. May such adjustment now be made in full, retroactive to the proposed effective date?

A. A decision or agreement may now be made to effectuate such adjustment without violating the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended. This does not determine, however, that such retroactive payments are or are not permissible tax deductions for the year in which the services paid for were performed; or that such retroactive payments will neces-

sarily be recognized as permissible reimbursable expense by Government procurement agencies, under the statutes applicable to their operations.

8. Q. A wage, salary, or other compensation agreement was executed before February 6, 1953, and provided for adjustments subject to stabilization agency approval, but a petition was not filed with the appropriate agency on or before February 6, 1953. What adjustments may now be made?

A. A decision or agreement may now be made to effectuate such adjustment without violating the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended. This does not determine, however, that such retroactive payments are or are not permissible tax deductions for the year in which the services paid for were performed; or that such retroactive payments will necessarily be recognized as permissible reimbursable expense by Government procurement agencies, under the statutes applicable to their operations.

9. Q. What effect does Executive Order 10434 have upon enforcement proceedings?

A. The Executive Order does not excuse violations committed prior to February 6, 1953. The stabilization agencies are continuing to process enforcement actions.

Issued: Washington, D. C., February 17, 1953.

ARTHUR S. FLEMING,
Acting Economic Stabilization
Administrator

[F. R. Doc. 53-1693; Filed, Feb. 17, 1953; 1:38 p. m.]

Chapter IV—Salary and Wage Stabilization, Economic Stabilization Agency

EDITORIAL NOTE: For questions and answers on the suspension of wage and salary controls by Executive Order 10434, issued February 6, 1953, see F. R. Doc. 53-1693, Chapter II of this title, supra.

Chapter VI—National Production Authority, Department of Commerce

[NPA Designation of Scarce Materials 1, co Amended February 18, 1953]

DSM-1-DESIGNATION OF SCARCE MATERIALS AND WITHDRAWAL OF PREVIOUS DESIGNATION

This amended designation is issued pursuant to section 102 of the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended; Executive Orders 10161, 10200, and 10281, and Defense Production Administration Delegation 1, as amended (16 F. R. 738, 4594)

Designation of Scarce Materials 1, as last amended December 24, 1952, is amended by adding to List A the items "aluminum foil" and "aluminum powder, flake and paste"; by deleting certain items from List A, by listing in List B of this amended designation such deleted items withdrawn from their pre-

¹These questions and answers are applicable to the programs administered by the Wage Stabilization Board, the Wage Stabilization Committee, the Office of Salary Stabilization, and the Railroad and Airline Wage Board, formerly contained in Title 32A, Chapter IV.

vious designation as scarce materials; and by changing the date in section 8.

- 1. Purpose of this designation.
- 2. Definition of person.
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- 5. Receipts of minimum production or sales quantities.
- 6. Receipts of materials after adjustment of
- 7. Applicability of other provisions of law, regulation, and orders.
- 8. Withdrawal of designation of scarce mate-

AUTHORITY: Sections 1 to 8 issued under sec. 704, 64 Stat. 816, Pub. Law 429, 82d Cong.; 50 U. S. C. App. Sup. 2154. Interpret or apply sec. 102, 64 Stat. 799, Pub. Law 429, 82d Cong.; 50 U. S. C. App. Sup. 2072; sec. 101, E. O. 10161, Sept. 9, 1950, 15-F. R. 6105; 3 CFR, 1950 Supp., sec. 2, E. O. 10200, Jan. 3, 1951, 16 F. R. 61; 3 CFR, 1951 Supp., secs. 402, 405, E. O. 10281, Aug. 28, 1951, 16 F. R. 8789; 3 CFR, 1951 Supp.

SECTION 1. Purpose of this designation. Section 102 of the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended, provides in part that, in order to prevent hoarding, no person shall accumulate (a) in excess of the reasonable demands of business, personal, or home consumption, or (b) for the purpose of resale at prices in excess of prevailing market prices, materials which have been designated as scarce materials or materials the supply of which would be threatened by such accumulation. This designation lists certain materials as scarce materials. It also prescribes in sections 4, 5, and 6, certain conditions under which a person may accumulate such materials in excess of the reasonable demands of business, personal, or home consumption. In addition it lists other materials which are withdrawn from their previous designation as scarce.

Sec. 2. Definition of person. As used in this designation, the word "person" includes an individual, corporation, partnership, association, or any other organized group of persons, or legal successor or representative of the foregoing. and includes the United States or any agency thereof, or any other government, or any of its political subdivisions, or any agency of any of the foregoing.

SEC. 3. Designation of scarce materials. Each material included in List A of this designation, in the shapes and forms therein described, or in all shapes and forms if no particular shape or form is therein described; is hereby designated, pursuant to section 102 of the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended, a scarce material. Whenever "material" or "materials" is hereinafter used, it means any such designated material or materials.

SEC. 4. Receipts of imported materials. (a) Notwithstanding any provision of this designation, a person may import by land, sea, or air any material acquired by him prior to landing with-out regard to the reasonable demands of his business, personal, or home consumption. However, if his total quantity of a material accumulated thereby becomes in excess of the reasonable demands of his business, personal, or home consumption, he may not receive any

additional amount of such material from any domestic source until his total quantity thereof has been reduced below an amount which is not in excess of the reasonable demands of his business, personal, or home consumption.

(b) Within the meaning of paragraph (a) of this section, importation by a person is not limited to the person who takes title to the material prior to landing or who pays the customs entry thereon, but includes a person who, prior to landing, purchases or contracts to purchase the material from or through an importing broker, wholesaler, or other importer, even though such broker, wholesaler, or other importer makes the customs entry in his own name, places the material on board the inland carrier for shipment to his customer, and retains title until such shipment is made. Within the meaning of paragraph (a) of this section, a material is not imported by a person who acquires such material from an importing broker, wholesaler, or other importer who took such material into his own stock or inventory.

SEC. 5. Receipts of minimum production or sales quantities. Notwithstanding any provision of this designation, in the case of materials that are massproduced or are normally marketed only in minimum sales quantities, a person may order and receive from a producer a minimum production run of such material, or from any other supplier, a minimum sales quantity, provided it is not practicable for him to procure his needs from other suppliers in smaller quantities, even though his accumulation of such material thereby becomes in excess of the reasonable demands of his business, personal, or home consumption. After such receipt, however, he may not receive any additional amount of such material until his accumulation thereof has been reduced below an amount which is not in excess of the reasonable demands of his business, personal, or home consumption.

SEC. 6. Receipts of materials after adjustment of orders. Notwithstanding any provision of this designation, a person who has promptly instructed the supplier to reduce or defer delivery of a material under an order for such material previously placed by him with the supplier, to the extent necessary so that his accumulation of such material will not be in excess of the reasonable demands of his business, personal, or home consumption, may accept delivery of the material involved in any of the following cases only

(a) If the supplier has shipped the material or loaded it for shipment before receipt of the instruction to adjust the order.

(b) If the material is a special item which, before receipt of the instruction to adjust the order, the supplier has in stock or in production, or for the production of which he has acquired special components or special materials. For the purpose of this section a "special item" is one which the supplier does not usually make, stock, or sell, and cannot readily dispose of to others.

(c) If the material has already been produced or was in production before receipt of the instruction to adjust the order and cannot be used to fill other orders on the books of the producer.

Sec. 7. Applicability of other provisions of law, regulations, and orders. Nothing in sections 4, 5, and 6 of this designation shall be deemed to modify in any respect, or relieve any person from complying with, any applicable regulation, order, or other provision of

SEC. 8. Withdrawal of designation of scarce materials. The materials included in List B of this designation, as amended, all of which were designated as scarce materials in List A of NPA Designation of Scarce Materials 1 as amended December 24, 1952, are hereby withdrawn from such designation.

Designation of Scarce Materials 1, as amended, shall take effect February 18, 1953.

> NATIONAL PRODUCTION AUTHORITY, By GEORGE W. AUXIER, Executive Secretary.

LIST A-DESIGNATION OF SCARCE MATERIALS

CHEMICALS

Acetylene. Alkyl and aromatic substituted phonolic resins.

Alkyl polysulfide polymers (Thiokol-polymers, trade name).

Alpha picoline.

Argon. Butadiene.

Calcium carbide. Cobalt salts and driers.

Cyclohexanol. Freon 22.

Lithium chemicals. Lithium metal.

Nickel chemicals.

Oxygen.

Paraphenylphenol. Paratertiary butyl phenol.

Pyrethrum.

Pyridine.

Selenium compôunds.

Toluene.

FOREST PRODUCTS

Lumber:

Cedar: Port Orford. Cypress.

Douglas fir, thick clears. Eucalyptus: Ironbark.

Lignum vitae. Teak. Plywood, softwood AA grade, all thicknesses.

exterior and interior; 1/2 inch, all grades, exterior.

TRON AND STEEL

Iron:

Pig iron.

Steel (carbon, including low alloy, high strength alloy, and stainless) Ingots and semifinished steel, including skelp; steel castings, rough and semifinished; structural shapes and piling; plates; rails and track accessories; wheels and axles; bars, hot-rolled, including light shapes and reinforcing; cold-finished bars; pipe; tubing; wire, wire rods, and drawn wire products; tin plate, terneplate, and tin mill black plate; hot-rolled sheet and strip; coldrolled sheet and strip; other mill shapes and forms.

Forgings, rough as forged. Non-nickel-bearing stainless (i. c., contain-

ing less than 1 percent nickel). Iron and steel scrap.

METALS AND MINERALS

Aluminum:

Primary and secondary in crude form. Semifabricated shapes, castings (includ-ing die); forgings, plate, sheet and strip; foil; rolled structural shapes, rod, bar, and wire; extruded shapes, tube blooms, and tubing; powder, flake and paste.

All aluminum and aluminum-base scrap _containing commercially recoverable aluminum

Aluminum castings (before machining).

Aluminum forgings, pressings, and impact extrusions (before machining).

Asbestos, amosite.

Asbestos, chrysotile, spinning fibers.

Asbestos, Bolivian crocidolite. Beryllium: Metal oxides, master alloys, and

compounds. Chromium:

Chrome metal.

Ferro-chrome. Cobalt: Cobalt metal, oxides, and hydrides. Columbium: Pure metal and chemicals, ferro-columbium, ferro-columbium-tantalum (ferro-tantalum-columbium).

Copper:

Refined copper (fire-refined and electro-lytic) including refinery shapes such as wire bars, slabs, cakes, billets, and in-

All other copper raw materials—blister copper, copper-base alloy ingot, copper and copper-base alloy shot and waffle, brass mill castings, copper precipitates, and intermediate shapes.

Copper and copper-base alloys: alloy plate, sheet, and strip; alloy rod, bar, and wire (including extruded shapes); alloy tube and pipe; unalloyed rod, bar, and wire (including extruded shapes); unalloyed plate, sheet, and strip; unalloyed tube and pipe; copper and copper-base alloy castings; copper powder mill products. All copper and copper-base alloy scrap

containing commercially recoverable copper.

Cryolite.

Diamond grinding wheels.

Diamonds, industrial.

Fluorspar, acid grade.

Magnesium:

Magnesium, primary and secondary ingots.

Semifabricated shapes.

All magnesium-base alloy scrap containing commercially recoverable magnesium.

Manganese: Manganese metal and ferromanganese.

Mica, muscovite block and film, good stained and better.

Molvbdenum:

Pure metal, powder, wire, rod, sheet. Ferro-molybdenum, molybdenum oxide and molybdenum compounds.

Nickel:

Nickel, alloyed or unalloyed.

Imported nickel matte.

Nickel and nickel alloy, metal' (cathode nickel, pigs, shot, and other primary forms)

Nickel and nickel alloy, secondary.

Nickel and nickel alloy, semifinished; bars, rods, tubes, sheet bar, ingot, blooms, billets, sheet strip, and similar mill products not further manufactured.

All nickel and nickel-base alloy scrap and nickel silver scrap containing commercially recoverable nickel.

Platinum.

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Scrap, ferrous and nonferrous (except antimony, bismuth, cadmium, lead, tin, and zinc scrap).

Selenium and selenium alloys.

Tantalum:

Pure metal and chemicals. Ferrotantalum-columbium.

Titanium: Sponge.

Semifabricated shapes. Sheets, tubes, extrusions. Titanium-bearing alloys. Titanium-base alloy scrap.

Tungsten: Pure metal, powder, wire, red, sheet, chemical compounds, ferrotungaten. Vanadium: Ferrovanadium, vanadium oxide, ammonium meta-vanadate and other vanadium-bearing products.

Zirconium; Zirconium metal, ferro-alumi-num-zirconium-silicon alloys, and all other metallic compositions used as cources of zirconium in the manufacture of any alloy products.

RUBBER MATERIALS

Natural rubber, dry.

TEXTILE MATERIALS

Silk, noils and waste.

MISCELLANEOUS

Bristles, pigs' and hogs'.

Reels and spools, shipping and package (wholly or in part of metal).

LIST B-MATERIALS WITHDRAWN FROM THEIR PREVIOUS DESIGNATION AS SCARCE IN LIST A OF NPA DESIGNATION OF SCARCE MATERIALS 1. AS AMENDED DECEMBER 24, 1952

METALS AND MINERALS

Pig tin, primary or secondary. All other materials and alloys containing 1.5 percent or more tin. Tin scrap.

MISCELLANEOUS

Metal cans.

Collapsible tubes.

Packaging closures made in whole or in part of controlled materials.

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TITLE 38—PENSIONS, BONUSES, AND VETERANS' RELIEF

Chapter I-Veterans' Administration

PART 36-SERVICEMEN'S READJUSTMENT ACT OF 1944

SUBPART A-TITLE III; LOAN GUARANTY

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

In § 36.4342, paragraph (c) is amended to read as follows:

§ 36.4342 Delegation o f authority. * * *

(c) Nothing in this section shall be construed (1) to authorize any such employee to exercise the authority vested in the Administrator under section 504 (a) or section 508 (b) of the act or to

sue, or enter appearance for and on behalf of the Administrator or confess judgment against him in any court without his prior authorization; or (2) to include the authority to exercise those powers reserved to the Administrator under §§ 36.4335, 36.4343, and 36.4344, or those delegated to the assistant administrator for finance, or director, Ioan guaranty service, under § 36.4343 or § 36.4344. Provided, That in any case where a loan which is sought to be guaranteed or insured under the provisions of § 36.4343 or § 36.4355 is made by a lender of the class described in section 500 (d) of the act without obtaining prior approval, the assistant administrator for finance, if he finds that such loan otherwise meets the requirements of the act and the regulations concerning guaranty or insurance of loans to veterans, may authorize the issuance of evidence of guaranty or insurance thereon: And provided further That anything in the regulations concerning guaranty or insurance of loans to veterans to the contrary notwithstanding, any evidence of guaranty or insurance issued on or after July 1, 1948, by any of the employees designated in paragraph (b) of this section shall be deemed to have been issued by the Administrator, subject to the defenses reserved in section 511 of the act. (Sec. 504, 58 Stat. 293, as amended: 38 U.S.C.

This regulation is effective February 19, 1953.

[SEAL]

H. V STIRLING, Deputy Administrator.

[P. R. Doc. 53-1656; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:50 a. m.]

TITLE 39—POSTAL SERVICE

Chapter I-Post Office Department

PART 127—International Postal Service: POSTAGE RATES, SERVICE AVAILABLE, AND Instructions for Mailing

MORWAY (INCLUDING SPITZBERGEN) POST-AGE RATES, LIMITS OF WEIGHT AND DIMEN-

a. In § 127.320 Norway (including Spitzbergen) amend paragraph (b) (3) by striking out subdivision (i).

b. In § 127.1 Postage rates, limits of weight and dimensions amend footnote 4 following Table No. 2, by inserting "Nicaragua" after "Mexico" in the fourth line.

(R. S. 161, 396, 393; secs. 304, 309, 42 Stat. 24, 25, 48 Stat. 943, 5 U.S. C. 22, 369, 372)

[SEAL]

ROY C. FRANK,

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PROPOSED RULE MAKING

Production and Marketing Administration

17 CFR Part 961 1

[Docket No. AO-160-A-14-RO 1]

HANDLING OF MILK IN THE PHILADELPHIA, PA., MARKETING AREA

DECISION WITH RESPECT TO PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO TENTATIVE MARKETING AGREEMENT AND PROPOSED ORDER AMEND-ING ORDER, AS AMENDED

Pursuant to the provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S. C. 601 et seq.) and the applicable rules of practice and procedure, as amended, governing the formulation of marketing agreements and marketing orders (7 CFR Part 900), a public hearing was conducted at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on January 28, 1953, pursuant to notices thereof issued December 18, 1952 (17 F R. 11723) and January 21, 1953 (18 F R. 553) hearing was called to reopen consideration of the issues of record at the hearing of August 12 and 13, 1952, of which notice was issued on July 18, 1952 (17 F R. 6749) as well as other proposals which had been submitted.

The material issues considered on the record of the reopened hearing on January 28, 1953, were as follows:

- 1. The price to be paid for Class II milk.
- 2. Whether the market situation requires emergency action on changes in the Class II price.

Upon completion of the evidence on these issues, the record with respect to these issues was closed at the request of interested parties, and the hearing recessed to a later date for receiving evidence on other issues.

Findings and conclusions. The following findings and conclusions on the material issues are based upon evidence contained in the record of the hearing.

1. Price for Class II milk. The price for Class II milk should be adjusted by advancing to the earliest date possible the 10-cent seasonal reduction which otherwise would take effect April 1st, and for the period March through June 1953. the price for milk used in the manufacture of evaporated milk, milk chocolate, cheese other than cottage cheese, and nonfat dry milk should not exceed the New York order class III price.

Handlers and producers requested that the price for Class II milk be reduced at the earliest possible date. Receipts of milk from producers are at an unprecedented high level for the season of the year, and one handler has given notice that he will not accept all of the increased volume after February 1 at the Class II price provided by the order. It was testified that a lower Class II price would encourage handlers to process more producer milk into manufactured products in their own plants, and would

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE make it easier to divert some of the excess to non-handler manufacturing plants.

Deliveries of milk by producers for this market were in December 1952, 5 percent higher than a year earlier and 7 percent higher than in 1950 and 1949. Reports by the Market News Service indicate receipts during January are continung at a level above a year earlier. Normally milk production in this area increases from the January level during the first part of the year and continues to increase through May and June. Accordingly, it appears on the basis of record data that the receipts of producer milk during the spring months may be expected to be somewhat higher than in recent years.

The volume of milk disposed of as Class I, however, has not kept pace with the increased milk receipts. Using as a basis for comparison the latest three months for which data is available (October, November and December) Class I sales increased about 11/2 percent over the same period in 1951, but the increase in milk receipts was about 3½ times the increase in Class I disposition.

The market situation with respect to disposition of Class II milk is also affected by the relatively large stocks of some manufactured dairy products currently reported as in storage. The size of the carry over of such stocks is an important factor affecting the willingness of plant operators to accept milk for manufacturing uses.

The price formula for Class II milk in the order is designed to adjust the price automatically for changes in general supply conditions, since it is based on market prices for cream and nonfat dry milk. The formula also contains a seasonal factor in the form of a 10-cent reduction in April, May and June, which is the time of year when milk supplies normally are greatest, a greater proportion of the supply tends to move into the lower valued uses, and more handling and transportation costs may be involved in disposition of some of the milk than at other times. During the spring months of 1952, because of an unusually high level of milk production for this market, it appeared that some additional price adjustment was needed, and the formula price for Class II milk was amended so that it provided a lower price for milk used in the manufacture of evaporated milk, milk chocolate, cheese other than cottage cheese, and nonfat dry milk. Milk in these uses was priced not higher than the New York order Class III price. About 40 percent of total Class II utilization was in these uses during the effective period of the price adjustment.

On the basis of the record data, it is concluded that the method used for pricing milk in Class II disposition during the flush months last year should also apply this year, but should be made effective earlier, because of the more aggravated conditions affecting the dis-

posal of excess milk. The effective time of the 10-cent per hundredweight seasonal reduction in the Class II formula price should be advanced to the earliest date possible. Inasmuch as plants supplying this market are interspersed with plants supplying the New York market, the New York order Class III price is an important competitive factor affecting the disposal of excess milk by Philadelphia handlers. Although it cannot be predicted whether that price or the Class II price under this order will be higher during the spring months, the application of the lower of the two prices beginning with March, which is the month when the New York Class III price shifts to a butter price basis instead of Boston cream prices, will give handlers in this market assurance of a price not higher than the New York order Class III price, in disposition in the specified This alternative pricing system uses. should extend through June 1953. order provisions, in this connection. should be similar to the provisions effective during April, May and June 1952.

Although producers and handlers proposed more drastic price changes, the order changes recommended herein appear likely to provide for adequate adjustments to changing supply conditions and other market conditions as they develop throughout the period of high production.

2. Need for emergency action. The due and timely execution of the function of the Secretary under the Act imperatively and unavoidably requires the omission of a recommended decision by the Assistant Administrator of Production and Marketing Administration and the opportunity for exceptions thereto on the actions contained in the amendments herein provided.

Conditions complained of are such that it is urgent that remedial action bo taken as soon as possible. In view of the large stocks of dairy products currently reported in storage, handlers are reluctant to accept increased volumes of milk at current order prices and one handler has already set quotas of how much milk each producer may deliver after February 1. The level of milk production by producers for this market exceeds that in previous years and it may be expected that the surplus condition which usually exists during the spring months will occur earlier this year. Accordingly, the time necessarily involved in the preparation, filing and publication of the recommended decision and the consideration of exceptions thereto would make such relief ineffective.

The propriety of omitting a recommended decision and opportunity of filing exceptions thereto with respect to the issues here decided was indicated in the hearing record.

Rulings on proposed findings and conclusions. Following the hearing a period was allowed for the filing of briefs containing suggested findings of fact, conclusions, and arguments with respect to the proposals discussed at the hearing. None were received.

General findings. (a) The proposed marketing agreement and the order, as hereby proposed to be amended, and all of the terms and conditions thereof will tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act:

(b) The parity prices of milk produced for sale in the said marketing area as determined pursuant to section 2 of the act are not reasonable in view of the price of feeds, available supplies of feeds. and other economic conditions which affect market supply of and demand for such milk, and the minimum prices specified in the proposed marketing agreement and in the order, as hereby proposed to be amended, are such prices as will reflect the aforesaid factors, insure a sufficient quantity of pure and wholesome milk and be in the public interest: and

(c) The proposed marketing agreement and the order, as hereby proposed to be amended, will regulate the handling of milk in the same manner as, and are applicable only to persons in the respective classes of industrial and commercial activity specified in the said marketing agreement upon which a

hearing has been held.

Determination of representative period. The month of December, 1952 is hereby determined to be the representative period for the purpose of ascertaining whether the issuance of an order amending the order, as amended, regulating the handling of milk in the Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, marketing area in the manner set forth in the attached amending order is approved or favored by producers who during such period were engaged in the production of milk for sale in the marketing area specified in such order, as amended.

Marketing agreement and order. Annexed hereto and made a part hereof are two documents entitled respectively "Marketing Agreement Regulating the Handling of Milk in the Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Marketing Area" and "Order amending the order as amended, regulating the handling of milk in the Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, marketing area," which have been decided upon as the detailed and appropriate means of effectuating the foregoing conclusions. These documents shall not become effective unless and until the requirements of § 900.14 of the rules of practice and procedure, as amended governing proceedings to formulate marketing agreements and order have been met.

It is hereby ordered, That all of this decision except the attached marketing agreement, be published in the FEDERAL REGISTER. The regulatory provisions of said marketing agreement are identical with those contained in the order, as hereby proposed to be amended, by the attached order which will be published

with this decision.

This decision filed at Washington. D. C., this 16th day of February 1953.

EZRA TAFT BENSON, [SEAL] Secretary of Agriculture. Order Amending the Order, as Amended, Regulating the Handling of Mills in the Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Marketing Area

§ 961.0 Findings and determinations. The findings and determinations hereinafter set forth are supplementary and in addition to the findings and determinations previously made in connection with the issuance of the aforesaid order and of the previously issued amendments thereto; and all of said previous findings and determinations are hereby ratified and affirmed, except insofar as such findings and determinations may be in conflict with the findings and determinations set forth herein.

(a) Findings upon the basis of the hearing record. Pursuant to the provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U. S. C. 601 et seq.), and the applicable rules of practice and procedure, as amended, governing the formulation of marketing agreements and marketing orders (7 CFR Part 900) a public hearing was held upon certain proposed amendments to the tentative marketing agreement and to the order, as amended, regulating the handling of milk in the Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, marketing area. Upon the basis of the evidence introduced at such hearing and the record thereof, it is found that:

(1) The said order, as amended, and as hereby further amended, and all of the terms and conditions thereof, will tend to effectuate the declared policy of

the act:

(2) The parity prices of milk as determined pursuant to section 2 of the act are not reasonable in view of the price of feeds, available supplies of feeds and other economic conditions which affect market supply and demand for milk in the said marketing area and the minimum prices specified in the order, as amended, and as hereby further amended, are such prices as will reflect the aforesaid factors, insure a sufficient quantity of pure and wholesome milk and be in the public interest; and

(3) The said order, as amended, and as hereby further amended, regulates the handling of milk in the same manner as and is applicable only to persons in the respective classes of industrial and commercial activity specified in a marketing agreement upon which a hearing

has been held.

Order relative to handling. It is therefore ordered, that on and after the effective date hereof the handling of milk in the Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, marketing area shall be in conformity to and in compliance with the terms and conditions of the aforesaid order, as amended, and as hereby further amended, and the aforesaid order, as amended, is hereby further amended, as follows:

1. In § 961.40 (b) delete subparagraph (3) and insert subparagraphs (3) and (4) as follows:

(3) During the months of February and March 1953 deduct 10 cents from the price calculated pursuant to subparagraphs (1) (excluding the proviso) and (2) of this paragraph.

- (4) The price for any of the months of March through June 1953 for milk used in the manufacture of evaporated milk, milk chocolate, cheese other than cottage cheese, and nonfat dry milk shall not exceed the sum of the following: (i) A butterfat value computed as follows: To the average butter price per pound computed pursuant to subparagraph (1) of this paragraph add 2 cents, multiply by 1.22 and by 4, and deduct 19 cents, and (ii) a skim milk value computed by multiplying by 7.8 the weighted average (using the weight of 70 for roller process prices and a weight of 30 for spray process prices) of the prices per pound of roller process and spray process nonfat dry milk solids, for human consumption, in carlots, f. o. b. manufacturing plants in the Chicago area, as published by the United States Department of Agriculture for the period from the 26th day of the immediately preceding month through the 25th day of the current month, and subtract 54 cents.
- 2. In § 961.41 reword paragraph (b) as follows:
- (b) The Class II price shall be subject to a butterfat differential for each onetenth of 1 percent variation above or below 4.0 percent, calculated as follows: Divide the average of the cream quotations used in calculating the Class II price by 334.8 and subtract 0.67 cent; or in the case of butterfat in Class II to which the "butter-value" is applicable, divide the butter value by 40; and in the case of milk used in the manufacture of evaporated milk, milk chocolate, cheese other than cottage cheese, and nonfat dry milk, during March, April, May and June 1953, divide the butterfat value computed pursuant to § 961.40 (b) (4) by

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[Docket No. AO-166-A16]

HANDLING OF MILK IN THE CINCINNATI, OHIO, MARKETING AREA

NOTICE OF RECOLDENDED DECISION AND OP-PORTURITY TO FILE WRITTEN EXCEPTIONS WITH RESPECT TO A PROPOSED AMEND-MENT TO THE TENTATIVE MARKETING AGREEMENT, AND TO THE ORDER, AS ATTECHDED

Pursuant to the provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U.S. C. 601 et.seq.) and the applicable rules of practice and procedure, as amended, governing the formulation of marketing agreements and marketing orders (7 CFR Part 900), notice is hereby given of the filing with the Hearing Clerk of the recommended decision of the Assistant Administrator, Production and Marketing Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, with respect to a proposed amendment to the tentative marketing agreement and to the order, as amended, regulating the handling of milk in the Cincinnati, Ohio, marketing area. Interested parties may file written exceptions to this decision with the Hearing Clerk, United States Department of Agriculture. Washington 25, D. C., not later than the close of business the 5th day after publication of this decision in the FEDERAL REGISTER. Exceptions should be filed in quadruplicate.

Preliminary statement. A hearing was conducted at Cincinnati, Ohio, on December 16, 1952, pursuant to notice thereof which was issued on December 9, 1952 (17 F R. 11242).

The material issues presented on the record relate to:

1. The pricing of Class I milk in March.

2. Marketing service deductions.

Findings and conclusions. The following findings and conclusions are based upon the evidence submitted at the hearing and the record thereof.

Pricing of Class I milk in March. No change should be made in the pricing of

Class I milk for March.

Pursuant to the present pricing provisions of the order, the amount added to the basic formula price (hereinafter referred to as the Class I differential) to determine the Class I price cannot be lower in December, January, or February than it was in the immediately preceding November. It was proposed that March also be included as a month during which the Class I differential could not be lower than in the preceding November.

Production of producer milk for the market usually reaches its seasonal low in November or December and increases seasonally from then to May or June. Analysis of the increases in average daily production of producer milk from December to January January to February and February to March during the last four years indicates that, except in the winter of 1949-1950, the increase from February to March was greatest. In the 1949-1950 period the increase from January to February slightly exceeded the increase from February to March. Of the last four fall and winter periods, March average daily production of producer milk exceeded average daily production during each of the preceding. months of September through February in two years, during each of the preceding months of October through February in one year, and during each of the preceding months of November through February in the other year. In March average daily production of producer milk is usually over one-fourth greater than it was during the month of lowest production.

This analysis would indicate no need for maintaining the March Class I differential at the same rate prevailing during the month of November.

The record shows no unusual conditions currently existing or in prospect which would justify a higher Class I differential in March 1953 than should normally be provided for the month of March.

Marketing service deductions. The marketing service deduction for producers for whom the market administrator performs marketing services should be increased to 6 cents per hundredweight of milk. The present rate of deduction is 4 cents per hundredweight of milk.

The market administrator is not currently receiving sufficient funds from the marketing service deductions to adequately perform the marketing services which the order requires. His experiences in Cincinnati and in other markets in which he is also market administrator indicate that in order to assure sufficient funds in Cincinnati to adequately perform the marketing services required by the order, a maximum permissible rate of marketing service deduction of 6 cents per hundredweight of milk should be provided. This rate of marketing service deduction and the income resulting therefrom would be similar to the rates and income pursuant to other Ohio orders.

General findings. (a) The proposed marketing agreement and the order, as amended, and as hereby proposed to be further amended, and all of the terms and conditions thereof, will tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act:

(b) The parity prices of milk as determined pursuant to section 2 of the act are not reasonable in view of the price of feeds, available supplies of feeds, and other economic conditions which affect market supply of and demand for milk in the marketing area, and the minimum prices specified in the proposed marketing agreement and in the order, as amended, and as hereby proposed to be further amended, are such prices as will reflect the aforesaid factors, insure a sufficient quantity of pure and wholesome milk, and be in the public interest; and

(c) The proposed marketing agreement and the order, as amended, and as hereby proposed to be further amended, will regulate the handling of milk in the same manner as, and will be applicable only to persons in the respective classes of industrial and commercial activity specified in a marketing agreement upon which a hearing has been held.

Rulings. All of the statements, proposed findings and conclusions, and arguments contained in the briefs filed by interested parties were carefully considered along with the evidence in the record in making the findings and reaching the conclusions herein set forth.

One of the briefs contained a statement implying that additional funds resulting from adoption of the proposed increase in marketing service deductions would be used for purposes other than performing marketing services for the producers from whom the deductions were made. The order specifically requires the use of such funds to furnish marketing services for such producers and describes the type of marketing services to be performed.

It was asserted in one of the briefs that if 1 cent of the 4 cents presently deducted for marketing services is necessary to cover the costs of the bulletin which the market administrator publishes to furnish market information to producers from which such deductions are made, the annual cost of such bulletin to the average producer exceeds \$10. In the last 12 months the average production of milk per producer has averaged about 7000 pounds. If the average production of the producers for whom the market administrator performs marketing services is about the same as the average production per producer for all producers supplying the market, then the total marketing service deductions per producer have averaged about \$28 per year. If about one-fourth of this \$28 per year was used to cover costs of providing market information through the bulletin, then the bulletin has cost each producer an average of about \$7 per year. Under the increased rate of marketing service deductions, herein proposed, total deductions per producer would average about \$42 per year.

To the extent that the findings and conclusions contained herein are inconsistent with the findings and conclusions proposed in the briefs, the requests to make the findings or to reach the conclusions proposed in the briefs are denied on the basis of the facts found and stated herein.

At the hearing a representative of the Consumer Conference of Greater Cincinnati read a resolution of that organization proposing that the milk marketing order for Cincinnati be terminated. Such an order can be terminated only upon a finding by the Secretary of Agriculture that (1) such termination is favored by a majority of producers by number and volume of production, or (2) that the order obstructs or does not tend to effectuate the declared policy of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act. A finding that termination is favored by a majority of producers cannot be made at this time, and a finding is made in this decision that the order, as amended, and as herein proposed to be further amended, does tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act. Accordingly the proposal to terminate the order must be denied.

Recommended marketing agreement and amendment to the order The following amendment to the order is recommended as the detailed and appropriate means by which the foregoing conclusions may be carried out. recommended marketing agreement is not included in this decision because the regulatory provisions thereof would be identical with those contained in the order, as amended, and as hereby proposed to be further amended.

Amend § 965.75 (a) to read as follows:

(a) The market administrator shall deduct an amount not exceeding 6 cents per hundredweight (the exact amount to be determined by the market administrator) from the payments made pursuant to § 965.73 (b) with respect to the milk of those producers for whom the marketing services set forth in paragraph (b) of this section are not being performed by a cooperative association which the Secretary determines to be qualified under the provisions of the act of Congress of February 18, 1922, as amended, known as the "Capper-Volstead Act," for the purpose of performing the services set forth in paragraph (b) of this section.

Dated: February 16, 1953, at Washington, D. C.

[SEAL]

ROY W LENNARTSON, Assistant Administrator

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NOTICES

FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

[Docket No. E-6476]

COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE CO.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

FEBRUARY 12, 1953.

Take notice that on February 11, 1953, an application was filed with the Federal Power Commission, pursuant to section 204 of the Federal Power Act, by Community Public Service Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware and doing business in the States of New Mexico and Texas, with its principal business office at Fort Worth, Texas, seeking an order authorizing the issuance of \$1,600,000 principal amount of promissory notes to be dated at such time or times as short-term bank loans are made on or before June 1, 1953, and to be due 120 days after date thereof; all as more fully appears in the application on file with the Commission.

Any person desiring to be heard, or to make any protest with reference to said application should, on or before the 27th day of February 1953, file with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., a petition or protest in accordance with the Commission's rules of practice and procedure. The application is on file with the Commission for public inspection,

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Leon M. Fuquay, Secretary.

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[Docket No. G-1414]

TRANSCONTINENTAL GAS PIPE LINE CORP.

ORDER DENYING REQUESTS THAT PETITION BE HEARD UNDER SHORTENED PROCEDURE AND FOR TEMPORARY CERTIFICATE, AND FIXING DATE OF HEARING

FEBRUARY 12, 1953.

On December 18, 1952, Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation (Transcontinental), a Delaware corporation having its principal place of business at Houston, Texas, filed a "Second Petition to Amend Order Issuing Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity," by which it requests deletion of the following Paragraph B (4) of the

Commission's order issued January 26, 1951. Paragraph B (4) provides that:

Until further authorization by the Commission, the facilities herein authorized to be constructed and operated shall be operated only to render emergency cervice of gas to its customers in the New York area through the "New York Facilities."

Notice of filing of the petition has been given, including publication in the Federal Register on January 10, 1953 (18 F. R. 235-236).

Transcontinental has requested that its petition be heard under the shortened procedure provided by § 1.32 (b) of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 1.32 (b)) for noncontested proceedings. Transcontinental also requests a temporary certificate pending a final disposition of its petition.

The Commission finds: Good cause has not been shown for granting Transcontinental's request that its petition be heard under the shortened procedure as provided by the Commission's rules of practice and procedure or its request for a temporary certificate.

The Commission orders:

(A) The request made by Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Corporation that its petition be heard under the shortened procedure provided by § 1.32 (b) of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure and its request for a temporary certificate, be and the same are hereby denied.

(B) Pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to the jurisdiction conferred upon the Federal Power Commission by sections 7 and 15 of the Natural Gas Act, and the Commission's rules of practice and procedure, a public hearing be held commencing on March 3, 1953, at 10:00 a.m., e. s. t., in the Hearing Room of the Federal Power Commission, 1800 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, D. C., concerning the matters involved and the issues presented by the petition and application herein.

(C) Interested State commissions may participate as provided by §§ 1.8 and 1.37 (f) (18 CFR 1.8 and 1.37 (f)) of the said rules and practice and procedure.

Date of issuance: February 13, 1953. By the Commission.

[SEAL]

Leon M. Fuquay, Secretary.

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[Docket No. G-2061]
United Fuel Gas Co.
ORDER FIXING DATE OF HEARING

FEBRUARY 12, 1953.

On September 12, 1952, United Fuel Gas Company (Applicant), a West Virginia corporation having its principal place of business at Charleston, West Virginia, filed an application, which was supplemented on December 11, 1952 and on February 2, 1953, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, authorizing the construction of cer-

tain natural-gas transmission facilities, hereinafter described, in connection with the proposed development of certain underground storage facilities, all as more faulty described in said application, as supplemented, on file with the Commission and open to public inspection.

Applicant, proposes to construct and operate approximately 32.5 miles of 24-inch natural-gas transmission pipeline extending from its existing Lanham Compressor Station in Putnam County, West Virginia, to a proposed new storage pool near Ripley, in Jackson County, West Virginia, and to activate said proposed storage pool, to be designated as X-59 with an estimated ultimate maximum daily withdrawal rate of 70,000 Mcf at a minimum storage pressure of 550#.

Applicant also proposes to construct and operate approximately 18 miles of 20-inch natural-gas transmission pipe-line extending from a point of connection with the proposed 32.5 miles of 24-inch pipeline hereinbefore described, in the proposed storage pool X-59, to its proposed storage pool X-58 near Limestone, in Wood and Wirt Counties, Westvirginia, and to construct and operate a compressor station, to be known as Compressor Station X-58, consisting of three 880 horsepower units, together with auxiliary equipment and piping, to be located at said proposed storage pool X-58.

Applicant heretofore has made application, in Docket No. G-1952, for authorization to acquire leaseholds, drill wells and install well and field lines in connection with the activation and operation of said proposed storage pool X-58. Proceedings upon said application are presently pending decision by a Presiding Examiner who conducted the hearing in that case.

The Commission finds: With respect to that part of the application, as supplemented, herein, involving construction and operation of the facilities consisting of approximately 32.5 miles of 24-inch pipeline in connection with the activation and operation of Applicant's proposed storage pool X-59, this part of the proceeding is a proper one for disposition under the provisions of § 1.32 (b) of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 1.32 (b)), Applicant having requested that the application be heard under the shortened procedure provided by the aforesaid rule for noncontested proceedings, and no request to be heard, protest or petition having been filed subsequent to the giving of due notice of the filing of the application, including publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER on October 4, 1952 (17 F. R. 8927).

The Commission orders:

(A) Pursuant to the authority contained in and subject to the jurisdiction conferred upon the Federal Power Commission by sections 7 and 15 of the Natural Gas Act, and the Commission's rules of practice and procedure, a hearing be held on March 16, 1953, at 9:45 a.m. in the Hearing Room of the Federal Power Commission, 1800 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, D. C., respecting the matters involved and the issues presented by that part of such applica-

tion, as supplemented, in which Applicant requests authorization for the construction and operation of approximately 32.5 miles of 24-inch pipeline and for the activation and operation of its proposed storage pool X-59: Provided, however, That the Commission may, after a noncontested hearing, forthwith dispose of the proceeding with respect to said facilities pursuant to the provisions of § 1.32 (b) of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure.

(B) With respect to the remainder of the facilities involved in Docket No. G-2061, hereinbefore described, hearing and decision shall be deferred pending fur-

ther order of the Commission.

(C) Interested State commissions may participate as provided by §§ 1.8 and 1.37 (f) (18 CFR 1.8 and 1.37 (f)) of the said rules of practice and procedure.

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LEON M. FUQUAY, Secretary.

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[Docket No. G-2118]

LAKE SHORE PIPE LINE CO.

ORDER SUSPENDING PROPOSED RATE SCHEDULES

FEBRUARY 12, 1953.

On January 16, 1953, Lake Shore Pipe Line Company (Lake Shore) filed its First Revised Sheet Nos. 4, 5, 6, and 7 to its FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, containing increased rates and charges which are proposed to be made effective as of February 15, 1953. The proposed increase in rates and charges would result in an estimated increase of about \$220,000 or 28 percent per year, based upon estimated sales for the years 1953-55 inclusive.

Lake Shore bases its proposed increase in rates and charges, among other things, upon increased costs of purchased gas from its supplier, Tennessee Gas Transmission Company whose increased rates have been suspended in Docket No. G-2052. In part also, Lake Shore relies upon claimed increases in operating expenses and plant investment costs in excess of those presented in its certificate proceedings in Docket No. G-1236.

The increased rates and charges proposed in said First Revised Sheet Nos. 4, 5, 6, and 7 to Lake Shore's FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, as filed on January 16, 1953, have not been shown to be justified and may be unjust or unreasonable, or otherwise unlawful.

On February 10, 1953, Lake Shore filed a motion requesting that the rate schedules be permitted to become effective on February 15, 1953, without suspension, or that they not be suspended beyond March 15, 1953. If permitted to become effective without suspension or not later than March 15, 1953, Lake Shore voluntarily offers to file with the Commission a bond in the form usually prescribed by the Commission to be effective on whatever date the Commission permits the proposed increased rates to go into effect.

Lake Shore states that 48 percent of the proposed increase represents an increase in cost of gas purchased from Tennessee Gas Transmission Company which may become effective under bond in Docket No. G-2052 on February 15, 1953.

The Commission finds:

(1) Proper administration of the Natural Gas Act requires that the motion made on February 10, 1953, by Lake Shore be denied.

(2) It is necessary and proper in the public interest and to aid in the enforcement of the provisions of the Natural Gas Act that the Commission enter upon a hearing, pursuant to the authority contained in section 4 of such act, concerning the lawfulness of Lake Shore's First Revised Sheet Nos. 4, 5, 6, and 7 to its FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, and that said First Revised Sheet Nos. 4, 5, 6, and 7 be suspended as hereinafter provided and the use thereof be deferred pending hearing and decision thereon.

The Commission orders:

(A) Lake Shore's motion filed February 10, 1953, be and the same is hereby denied.

(B) Pursuant to the authority contained in section 4 of the Natural Gas Act, a public hearing be held upon a date to be fixed by further order of the Commission concerning the lawfulness of the rates, charges, and classifications contained in the aforesaid Lake Shore Pipe Line Company's First Revised Sheet Nos. 4, 5, 6, and 7 to its FPC Gas Tariff. Original Volume No. 1.

(C) Pending such hearing and decision thereon, Lake Shore's First Revised Sheet Nos. 4, 5, 6, and 7 to its FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, be and the same are hereby suspended and the use thereof deferred until July 16, 1953, and until such further time thereafter as said proposed First Revised Sheet Nos. 4. 5. 6. and 7 may be made effective in the manner prescribed by the Natural Gas Act.

(D) Interested State commissions may participate as provided by §§1.8 and 1.37 (f) (18 CFR 1.8 and 1.37 (f)) of the Commission's rules of practice and pro-

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[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY. Secretary.

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[Docket No. G-2119]

NEW YORK STATE NATURAL GAS CORP.

ORDER SUSPENDING PROPOSED RATE SCHEDULES

FEBRUARY 12, 1953.

On January 15, 1953, New York State Natural Gas Corporation (Applicant) filed First Revised Sheet Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7A, 10, and 17A, Second Revised Sheet Nos. 12, 14, 17, and 18, and Third Revised Sheet Nos. 8 and 16 to its FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, and First Revised Sheets Nos. 14 and 18 to its FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 2, which, unless suspended, will become effective February 15, 1953, and will result in an increase of approximately \$3,741,000 annually, or approximately 10.7 percent, to its resale customers, based on estimated sales for the year ending February 14. 1954. The distribution of such increase among Applicant's customers is shown in Appendix A to this order.

The proposed increase in rates and charges is based, among other things, upon claimed increases in the cost of gas purchased which may not be fully realized, claimed increased purchases of natural gas to offset asserted declining production from Applicant's own wells; and claimed increases in wages and rental expense. In connection with the large storage project dedicated for service to its affiliates, The East Ohio Gas Company and The Peoples Natural Gas Company Applicant proposes an increased rate for all gas deliveries deemed to be from its pipeline system, and a reduction in the income tax apportioned under the cost-of-service formula for all costs associated with the storage facilities.

It does not appear that the proposed increase in rates and charges has been supported as required by section 4 (e) of the Natural Gas Act, and the proposed rates may be unjust, unreasonable, unduly discriminatory or preferential or otherwise unlawful, and may place an undue burden upon ultimate consumers of natural gas.

All of Applicant's resale customers, as well as interested regulatory agencies. were invited to submit comments with respect to the application for the proposed increase. The New York Public Service Commission advised that the proposed rates should be thoroughly investigated. Thirteen customers submitted comments. In general these object to the proposed increase. The Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission and the two affiliated companies advised they had no comments at this time.

The Commission finds: It is necessary and proper in the public interest and to aid in the enforcement of the provisions of the Natural Gas Act that the Commission enter upon a hearing, pursuant to the authority contained in section 4 thereof, concerning the lawfulness of New York State Natural Gas Corporation's FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, as amended by proposed First Revised Sheet Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7A, 10, and 17A, Second Revised Sheet Nos. 12, 14, 17, and 18, and Third Revised Sheet Nos. 8 and 16; and FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 2, as amended by proposed First Revised Sheet Nos. 14 and 18, and that said proposed revised sheets be suspended as heremafter provided and the use thereof be deferred pending hearing and decision thereon as provided by the Natural Gas Act.

The Commission orders:

(A) Pursuant to the authority contained in section 4 of the Natural Gas Act, a public hearing be held upon a date to be fixed by further order of the Com-.

mission concerning the lawfulness of the rates, charges, and classifications, subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission, contained in New York State Natural Gas Corporation's FPC Gas Tariff Original Volume No. 1 as amended by proposed First Revised Sheet Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7A, 10, and 17A, Second Revised Sheet Nos. 12, 14, 17, and 18, and Third Revised Sheet Nos. 8 and 16, and FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 2 as amended by proposed First Revised Sheet Nos. 14 and 18.

(B) Pending such hearing and decision thereon, New York State Natural Gas Corporation's proposed First Revised Sheet Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7A, 10, and 17A, Second Revised Sheet Nos. 12, 14, 17, and 18, and Third Revised Sheet Nos. 8 and 16

to its FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 1, and proposed First Revised Sheet Nos. 14 and 18 to its FPC Gas Tariff, Original Volume No. 2 be and the same are hereby suspended and their use deferred until July 15, 1953, and until such further time as said proposed revised sheets may be made effective in the manner prescribed by the Natural Gas Act.

(C) Interested State commissions may participate as provided by §§ 1.8 and 1.37 (f) (18 CFR 1.8 and 1.37 (f)) of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure.

Date of issuance: February 12, 1953.

By the Commission,

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY, Secretary.

APPENDIX A

NEW YORK STATE NATURAL GAS CORPORATION—DISTRIBUTION OF INCHEASES IN RATES YEAR ENDING

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Purchaser	Deliveries	Rovenues			
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[F. R. Doc. 53-1636; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:46 a. m.]

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[File No. 70-2985]

MISSISSIPPI POWER CO.

ORDER GRANTING AUTHORITY TO ISSUE AND SELL SHORT TERM UNSECURED NOTES

FEBRUARY 13, 1953.

Mississippi Power Company ("Mississippi") a public utility subsidiary of the Southern Company, a registered holding company, having filed a declaration pursuant to sections 6 (a) and 7 of the act and Rules U-20, U-23 and U-24, promulgrated thereunder, with respect to the following proposed transactions:

Mississippi proposes to issue and sell, from time to time prior to July 1, 1953, \$2,100,000 principal amount of short term bank loan notes to sixteen banks, whose participations are designated in

the filing. The notes will mature not later than nine months from the dates of issue and will bear interest at the current rate for nine month bank loans at the time of their issuance, which is 3 percent at the present time. In the event that the interest rate is in excess of 3¼ percent per annum at the time any of said notes is to be issued, Mississippi will file an amendment hereto stating the rate of interest and other details of such note or notes at least 5 days prior to the execution and delivery thereof.

Declarant states that the proceeds to be derived from the sale of these notes will be used to finance improvements, extensions and additions to its utility plant or to reimburse its treasury in part for expenditures incurred for such purposes. Mississippi proposes to retire the notes out of the proceeds from the sale of addi-

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tional securities of a type and m an amount not yet determined.

It is represented that no State Commission or any other Federal Commission has jurisdiction over the proposed transactions.

Declarant estimates that the expenses in connection with the proposed transactions will not exceed \$500 including \$250 for legal fees.

Due notice having been given of the filing of the declaration, and a hearing not having been requested of or ordered by the Commission; and the Commission finding that the applicable provisions of the act and the rules promulgated thereunder are satisfied and that no adverse findings are necessary, and deeming it appropriate in the public interest and the interest of investors and consumers that said declaration be permitted to become effective forthwith:

It is ordered, Pursuant to Rule U-23 and the applicable provisions of the act, that said declaration be, and it hereby is, permitted to become effective forthwith, subject to the terms and conditions prescribed in Rule U-24.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

ORVAL L. DUBOIS, Secretary.

[P. R. Doc. 53-1642; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:47 a. m.]

[File No. 70-2993]

NEW ENGLAND POWER CO.

NOTICE OF FILING REGARDING ISSUANCE AND SALE OF NEW PREFERRED STOCK

FEBRUARY 13, 1953.

Notice is hereby given that an application-declaration has been filed with this Commission pursuant to the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 ("act") by New England Power Company ("NEPCO") a public-utility subsidiary of New England Electric System, a registered holding company. The filing has designated sections 6 (a), 6 (b), 7 and 12 (c) of the act and Rules U-42 and U-50 as applicable to the proposed transactions, which are summarized as fol-

NEPCO proposes to create a new class of preferred stock with a par value of \$100 per share, to be designated Dividend Series Preferred stock, and to issue 80,140 shares of an initial series of such stock to be designated Cumulative Preferred Stock, __ Percent Series. The 80,140 shares of new preferred stock are to be offered, during a period of not less than 15 days, to the holders of NEPCO's outstanding 6 percent Cumulative Pre-ferred Stock (noncallable) for subscription in the ratio of one share of new preferred stock for each share of 6 percent Cumulative Preferred Stock held. pursuant to the preemptive rights accorded such stock in the company's char-This offering is to be underwritten and the holders of old preferred stock may subscribe for the new preferred stock at a price to be fixed by the successful bidder as the price to be paid to NEPCO for the unsubscribed shares

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determined pursuant to the competitive bidding requirements of Rule U-50. The rights to subscribe will be evidenced by transferable subscription warrants.

The dividend rate on the new preferred stock and the price to the company (to be not less than \$100 nor more than \$102.75 per share) are to be determined by the competitive bidding. The bidders will be required to specify the aggregate amount of compensation to be paid by NEPCO as compensation for their commitments and obligations in connection with the purchase of the unsubscribed shares.

The total expense in connection with the proposed issuance and sale of the new preferred stock is estimated not to exceed \$60,000 and such total estimated expense includes \$18,000 for services performed at cost by New England Power Service Company, an affiliated service company.

The proceeds of the sale of the new preferred stock will be applied to the payment of notes and the balance, if any, will be used for construction purposes. The filing states that NEPCO has outstanding \$9,400,000 principal amount of short-term notes, due April 1, 1953, under a loan agreement with five banks and that the company anticipates that upon completion of the new preferred stock financing it will have outstanding approximately \$1,400,000 principal amount of notes payable to banks.

The filing indicates that the issuance and sale of the new preferred stock are subject to authorization by the Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities, the Vermont Public Service Commission, and the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission.

It is requested that the Commission's order become effective upon issuance and that the ten day period for inviting bids with respect to the new preferred stock, as provided in Rule U-50, be shortened to a period of not less than six days.

Notice is further given that any interested person may, not later than February 24, 1953, at 5:30 p. m., request in writing that a hearing be held on such matter, stating the nature of his interest, the reasons for such request and the issues of fact or law, if any, raised by said application which he desires to controvert, or may request that he be notified if the Commission should order a hearing thereon. Any such request should be addressed: Secretary Securities and Exchange Commission, 425 Second Street NW., Washington 25, D. C. At any time after February 24, 1953, at 5:30 p. m., said application-declaration as filed or as amended, may be granted and permitted to become effective as provided in Rule U-23 of the rules and regulations promulgated under the act, or the Commission may exempt such transactions as provided in Rules U-20 and U-100 thereof.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DUBOIS, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1641; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:47 a. m.]

[File No. 70-3002]

MISSISSIPPI POWER & LIGHT CO.

NOTICE CONCERNING ISSUANCE AND SALE OF FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS

FEBRUARY 13, 1953.

Notice is hereby given that Mississippi Power & Light Company ("Mississippi") an electric utility subsidiary of Middle South Utilities, Inc., ("Middle South") a registered holding company, has filed a declaration pursuant to the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, and has designated sections 6 (a) and 7 thereof as applicable to the proposed transactions which are summarized as follows:

Mississippi proposes to issue and sell \$12,000,000 principal amount of First Mortgage Bonds, — percent Series, due 1983, to be issued under the company's Mortgage and Deed of Trust dated as of September 1, 1944, to Irving Trust Company and Frederick G. Herbst, as Trustees, as heretofore supplemented, and as to be supplemented by a Fourth Supplemental Indenture to be dated as of March 1, 1953.

The coupon rate of the bonds (which shall be a multiple of ½ of 1 percent) and the price (exclusive of accrued interest) to be paid to the company for the bonds (which shall be not less than the principal amount thereof and not more than 102¾ percent of such principal amount) are to be fixed at competitive bidding in accordance with Rule U-50 of the rules and regulations promulgated under the act.

The declaration states that the proceeds from the proposed sale of bonds are to be used to finance, in part, the construction program of Mississippi, which, declarant estimates will require expenditures of \$23,000,000 in 1953 and \$6,800,000 in 1954.

Notice is further given that any interested person may, not later than March 2, 1953, at 5:30 p. m., e. s. t., request the Commission in writing that a hearing be held on such matter, stating the nature of his interest, the reasons for such request and the issues, if any, of fact or law raised by said declaration which he desires to controvert, or may request that he be notified if the Commission should order a hearing thereon. Any such request should be addressed: Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 425 Second Street NW., Washington 25, D. C. At any time after March 2, 1953, at 5:30 p. m., e. s. t., said declaration, as filed or as amended, may be permitted to become effective as provided in Rule U-23 of the rules and regulations promulgated under the act, or the Commission may exempt such transactions as provided in Rules U-20 (a) and U-100 thereof. All interested persons are referred to said declaration which is on file with the Commission for a complete statement of the transactions therein proposed.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBois, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1640; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:47 a. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Mines

[Administrative Order 666]

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION

REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO LEASES

Pursuant to the authority granted to heads of bureaus by the Secretary of the Interior in section 52 of Order 2509, as amended July 18, 1952 (17 F R. 6793) the Chief, Administrative Division may, within the continental limits of the United States and outside the District of Columbia, lease space in buildings (1) that is to be used wholly or predominantly for the special purposes of the Bureau of Mines and will not be generally suitable for the use of other agencies, or (2) that is required for use incidental to and in conjunction with space that will be used for such special purposes, or (3) that is to be acquired under a lease involving no rental or a nominal consideration of \$1 per annum. (See General Services Administration, Real Property Management Regulation No. 1. section 4 (a) December 21, 1950.)

The person who exercises this delegation of authority may, in the territories and possessions of the United States, lease space in buildings either for the general purposes or for the special purposes of the Bureau of Mines.

With respect to any such lease, including a lease approved by the Secretary, the person who exercises this delegation of authority may modify or renew the lease if such action is legally permissible, and may terminate the lease if such action is legally authorized.

This delegation of authority shall be exercised in compliance with applicable regulations and statutory requirements and shall be subject to the availability of appropriations.

A copy of U. S. Standard Form 81, Revised, "Request for Space," for each lease and each modification or renewal of a lease shall be transmitted to the Chief Clerk of the Department. Such action will be taken with respect to all leasing transactions, including those in which the General Services Administration does not require the filing of Standard Form 81, Revised (General Services Administration, Real Property Management Regulation No. 3, section 4b, June 21, 1951)

Dated: February 11, 1953.

J. J. FORBES, Director Bureau of Mines.

[F R. Doc. 53-1633; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:45 a. m.]

CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD

[Docket No. 5828]

CONTINENTAL AIR LINES, INC., AND UNITED AIR LUNES, INC., INTERCHANGE OF EQUIPMENT

NOTICE OF HEARING

In the matter of the application of Continental Air Lines, Inc., and United Air Lines, Inc., for approval by the Civil Aeronautics Board under section 412 and, if such approval is deemed neces-

sary, under section 408 of the Civil Aeronautics Act of an agreement relating to the interchange of equipment.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, as amended, particularly sections 408, 412, and 1001 of the said act, the above-entitled proceeding is assigned for hearing on March 4, 1953 at 10:00 a.m., e. s. t., in Room 2045, Temporary Building No. 4, Seventeenth Street, south of Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, D. C., before Examiner Barron Fredricks.

Without limiting the scope of the 1ssues presented by the application, particular attention will be directed to the

following questions:

1. Does the interchange agreement constitute a lease to an air carrier of a substantial part of the properties of another air carrier, or an agreement to operate a substantial part of such properties, within the meaning of section 408 (a) (2) of the act?

2. Is the agreement consistent with the public interest, having regard to any improvement to air transportation service to be provided by the interchange operation, to any adverse effect upon another air carrier, and to the justness and reasonableness of the terms of the agreement?

3. Will the agreement result in creating a monopoly and thereby restrain competition?

4. What, if any, terms and conditions to protect the public interest ought the Board to impose in the event it approves the agreement?

For further details of the issues involved in the proceeding interested persons are referred to the joint application and the prehearing conference report which are on file with the Civil Aeronautics Board.

Notice is further given that any person, other than a party of record, desiring to be heard in this proceeding must file with the Board on or before March 4, 1953, a statement setting forth such propositions of fact or law as he desires to advance, and such person may then appear and participate in the hearing in accordance with Rule 14 of the Board's rules of practice.

Dated at Washington, D. C., February 16; 1953.

[SEAL]

Francis W. Brown, Chief Examiner

[F. R. Doc. 53-1659; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:51 a. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Commodity Credit Corporation

SALES OF CERTAIN COMMODITIES AT FIXED PRICES

DOMESTIC AND EXPORT PRICE LISTS FOR FEBRUARY 1953

Pursuant to the Pricing Policy of Commodity Credit Corporation issued March 22, 1950, as amended January 9, 1953 (15 F R. 1583, 18 F R. 176) and subject to the conditions stated therein, the following commodities are available for sale in the quantities and at the prices stated:

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Commodity and approximate quantity available (subject to prior sale)

Nonfat dry milk solids, in carlead lots only, 1952 production; 55,000,000 pounds.

Salted creamery butter, in carlead lots only; 10,000,000 pounds.

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Pinto, bagged; 253 hundred-weight.
Great Northern, bagged; 550,000 hundredweight.
Baby Lima, bagged; 655,000 hundredweight.
Small white, bagged; 9,500 hundredweight.

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Pea, logged; 871,690 hundred-weight.
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Blue Lupine seed, kassed; 1,045,000 hundredweight. Common and Willamette vetch seed, kassed; 129,400 hundred-weight.

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Red clover seed, uncertified, bagged; "6520 hundredweight.
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Hairy Vetch seed, bagged; 70,539
hundredweight.

Birdsfoot Trefoll seed, bagged;
1,169 hundredweight.

Rough nea seed, bagged; 6 hundredweight.
Primar skinder wheatgrass seed, certified, bagged; 69 hundred-

Wheat-bulk; 25,000,000 bushels 1...

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No. 1 Grade, 1959 crop: \$7.19 per 100 pounds, bacia f. o. b. California area.

No. 1 Grade, 1921 crop: \$9.13 per 190 pounde, baclof. o. b. California crea.

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FEBRUARY 1953 DOMESTIC PRICE LIST-Continued

Commodity and approximate quantity available (subject to prior sale)	— Domestic sales price
Corn, Bulk; 50,000,000 bushels 1	At points of production, basis in store, the market price but not less than the applicable 1952 county loan rate for No. 3 yellow plus: (1) 22 cents per bushel if received by truck; or (2) 18 cents per bushel if received by rail or barge. At other locations, the foregoing plus average paid-in freight. Examples of minimum prices per bushel: Chicago, No. 3 yellow, \$1.96; St. Louis, No. 3 yellow, \$1.98; Minneapolis, No. 3 yellow, \$1.87; Omaha, No. 3 yellow, \$1.88; Kansas City, No. 3 yellow, \$1.94.
Grain sorghums, bulk; 87,000 hundredweight.	For other classes, grades, and quality, market differentials will apply. Basis in store, the market price but in no event less than the applicable 1952 loan rate for the class, grade, quality and location, plus: (1) 44 cents per hundredweight if received by truck, or (2) 39 cents per hundredweight if received by rail or barce.
Flaxseed, bulk; 137,000 bushels	Examples of minimum prices per hundredweight: Kansas City, No. 2 grain sorghums, ex rail or barge, \$3.23; ex truck \$3.28. Market price on date of sale at place of delivery, provided delivery takes place within 15 days unless otherwise agreed upon, but not less than the following: \$4.45 per bushel, No. 1 Grade, basis in store, Minneapolis. For other markets
Cottonseed meal, bagged	and grades, adjust by market differentials. Information covering prices, quantities, and locations can be secured at the New Orleans, Dallas, or San Francisco PMA Commodity offices.

Celling Price Certification. Any purchaser from CCC of raw linseed oil, must be able and will be required to certify that the price paid to CCC does not exceed the highest ceiling price he could pay any of his usual suppliers for the commodity in the quantity and at the place and season that delivery is made,

1 These same lots also are available at export sales prices announced today.

FEBRUARY 1953 EXPORT PRICE LIST

Commodity and approximate quantity available (subject to prior sale)	Export price list			
Cottonseed oil, bleachable prime summer yellow; 275,000,000 pounds.¹ Linseed oil, raw; 185,000,000 pounds.¹ Dry edible beans	Market price f. o. b. tank cars at points of storage locations. 14 cents per pound, f. o. b. tank cars at points of storage location. (See note on Ceiling Price Certification at the end of this price list.) No. 1 Grade delivered on track present location, on basis costs and freight paid to f. a. s. vessel at location shown below. \$4.25 per 100 pounds, San Francisco Bay area. No. 1 Grade, 1951 crop: \$8 per 100 pounds, f. a. s. Baltimore, Philadelphia, and Norfolk. Discount for grades: No. 2, 25 cents less than No. 1; No. 3, 50 cents less than No. 1. Sample Grade, 1951 crop: \$6 per 100 pounds, f. a. s. Baltimore, Philadelphia, and Norfolk. The domestic market price for feed but not less than \$3.50 per 100 pounds f. a. s. Portland, Oreg., or Seattle, Wash. Market price on date of sale at point of delivery, provided delivery takes place within 15 days unless otherwise agreed upon. Do. Do. Do.			

Ceiling Price Certification. Any purchaser from CCC of raw linseed oil, must be able and will be required to certify that the price paid to CCC does not exceed the highest ceiling price he could pay any of his usual supplies for the commodity in the quantity and at the place and season that delivery is made.

1 These same lots also are available at domestic sales prices announced today.

(Pub. Law 439, 81st Cong.)

Issued: February 16, 1953.

[SEAL]

JOHN H. DAVIS. President Commodity Credit Corporation.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1660; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:51 a. m.]

Office of the Secretary

NEBRASKA, SOUTH DAKOTA

SALE OF MINERAL INTERESTS; REVISED AREA DESIGNATION

Schedule A, entitled Fair Market Value Areas, and Schedule B, entitled One Dollar Areas, accompanying the Secretary's Order dated June 26, 1951 (16 F R. 6318) are amended as follows:

In Schedule A, under Nebraska, in alphabetical order, add the counties "Garfield" and "Thayer" under South Dakota, in alphabetical order, add the country "Day."

In Schedule B, under Nebraska, delete the counties "Garfield" and "Thayer"; under South Dakota, delete the county "Day."

(Sec. 3, Pub. Law 760, 81st Cong.)

Done at Washington, D. C., this 17th day of February 1953.

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EZRA TAFT BENSON. Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1688; Filed, Feb. 17, 1953; 5:05 p. m.]

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

[4th Sec. Application 27800]

CEMENT FROM POINTS IN THE SOUTH AND MIDWEST TO FLORIDA

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

FEBRUARY 16, 1953.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-

haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by. R. E. Boyle, Jr., Agent, for carriers parties to Agent C. A. Spaninger's tariff I. C. C. No. 1244.

Commodities involved: Cement, car-

From: Points in Florida, Georgia, ouisiana, Missouri, Ohio, Tennessee, Louisiana, Missouri, Ohio, Virginia, and West Virginia.

To: Bell, Dowling Park, Green Cove Springs, and Yukon, Fla., and points grouped therewith.

Grounds for relief: Rail competition. circuity, to meet intrastate rates, and to apply over short tariff routes rates constructed on the basis of the short line distance formula.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

GEORGE W. LAIRD, Acting Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1647; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:48 a. m.1

[4th Sec. Application 27801]

MERCHANDISE FROM NEW YORK, N. Y., TO MONTGOMERY, ALA.

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

FEBRUARY 16, 1953.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act. Filed by C. W Boin, Agent, for car-

riers parties to his tariff I. C. C. No. A-967.

Commodities involved: All commodities, in mixed carloads.

From: New York, N. Y.

To: Montgomery, Ala.

Grounds for relief: Rail and motor competition and circuitous routes.

Schedules filed containing proposed rates: Agent Boin's tariff I. C. C. No. A-967, Supp. 3.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed

to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

George W Laird, Acting Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1648; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:48 a. m.]

[4th Sec. Application 27802]

Merchandise From Eastern Points to Dania, Fla., and Memphis, Tenn.

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

FEBRUARY 16, 1953.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by C. W. Boin and I. N. Doe, Agents, for carriers parties to Agent Boin's tariff I. C. C. No. A-967.

Commodities involved: All commodities, in mixed carloads.

From: Points in trunk-line and New England territories to Dania, Fla., and from Philadelphia, Pa., to Memphis, Tenn.

Grounds for relief: Rail and motor competition and circuity.

Schedules filed containing proposed rates: Agent Boin's tariff I. C. C. No. A-967, Supp. 3.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission.

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GEORGE W. LAIRD, Acting Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1649; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:48 a. m.]

[4th Sec. Application 27803]

Less Carload Rates Between Points on the Missouri-Kansas-Texas System Lines and Illinois Central Railroad

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

FEBRUARY 16, 1953.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul

provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by F. C. Kratzmeir, Agent, for the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad Company and other carriers.

Commodities involved: Classes and commodities, less-carload, any quantity, and volume lots.

Between points on the Missouri-Kansas-Texas System lines and between points on the Illinois Central Railroad.

points on the Illinois Central Railroad. Grounds for relief: Competition with motor carriers.

Schedules filed containing proposed rates: Agent Kratzmeir's tariff I. C. C. No. 3977, Supp. 11.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subse-

By the Commission.

quently.

[SEAL] GEORGE W LAIRD,
Acting Secretary.

[F. R. Doç. 53-1650; Filed, Feb. 18, 1953; 8:48 a.m.]

[4th Sec. Application 27894]

LESS CARLOAD RATES BETWEEN POINTS ON THE MISSOURI-KANSAS-TEMAS SYSTEM LINES AND ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

FEBRUARY 16, 1953.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the aggregate of intermediates provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by F. C. Kratzmeir, Agent, for the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad Company and other carriers.

Commodities involved: Classes and commodities, less-carload, any quantity, and volume lots.

Between points on the Missouri-Kansas-Texas System lines and between points on the Illinois Central Railroad.

Grounds for relief: Competition with motor carriers.

Schedules filed containing proposed rates: Agent Kratzmeir's tariff L. C. C. No. 3977, Supp. 11.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect

to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

George W. Lined, Acting Secretary.

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ECONOMIC STABILIZATION AGENCY

Office of Price Stabilization

[Region I, Redelegation of Authority 23, Amdt. 1]

DIRECTORS OF THE DISTRICT OFFICES, REGION I, BOSTON, MASS.

REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO TAKE CER-TAIN ACTIONS UNDER CPR 25, REVISED

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Director of the Regional Office of the Office of Price Stabilization, No. I, and pursuant to Delegation of Authority 42, Amendment 1 (18 F. R. 269) this Amendment 1 to Redelegation of Authority 23 (17 F. R. 327) is hereby issued.

Redelegation of Authority 23 is amended as follows:

1. Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

1. Authority to act under sections 4 (d), 5 (e) (3), 12, 21 (e), 22, 30 (f) and (g), 32 (b) 33 and 35 of CPR 25. Authority is hereby redelegated to the Directors of the District Offices of the Office of Price Stabilization, Region I, to act under sections 4 (d) 5 (e) (3) (12) 21 (e) 22, 30 (f) and (g), 32 (b), 33 and 35 of CPR 25. All actions in respect to sections 33 and 35 of CPR 25, taken by district offices previous to this authority, are hereby confirmed and validated.

This Amendment 1 to Redelegation of Authority 23 shall take effect as of February 2, 1953.

Date of issue: February 16, 1953.

JOSEPH M. McDonough, Regional Director, Region L.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1661; Filed, Feb. 16, 1953; 4:57 p. m.]

[Region III, Redelegation of Authority 11, Amdt. 1]

DIRECTORS OF DISTRICT OFFICES, REGION III, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

REDELLEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO TAKE CER-TAIN ACTIONS UNDER CPP 25, REVISED

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Director of the Regional Office of Price Stabilization, No. III, pursuant to Delegation of Authority No. 42, Amendment 1, (18 F. R. 269), this amendment to Redelegation of Authority No. 11 is hereby issued.

Redelegation of Authority No. 11 is amended as follows:

1. Section 1 is amended to read as follows:

SECTION 1. Authority to act under sections 4 (d) 5 (c) (3),12,21 (c) 22,30 (f) and (g) 32 (b), 33, and 35 of CPR 25. Authority is hereby redelegated to each of the District Directors of the Office of Price Stabilization in Region III to act under sections 4 (d) 5 (c) (3) 12, 21 (c) 22, 30 (f) and (g) 32 (b) 33 and 35 of CPR 25. All actions in respect to sections 33 and 35 of CPR 25, taken by field offices previous to this authority, are hereby confirmed and validated.

This amendment to Redelegation of Authority No. 11 shall take effect as of January 30, 1953.

Joseph J. McBryan, Director of Regional Office No. III.

FEBRUARY 16, 1953.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1662; Filed, Feb. 16, 1953; 4:57 p. m.]

[Region III, Redelegation of Authority 2, Revision 1, Amdt. 1]

DIRECTORS OF DISTRICT OFFICES, REGION III, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO ACT ON AP-PLICATIONS PERTAINING TO CERTAIN FOOD AND RESTAURANT COMMODITIES; AUTHORI-TY TO ACT UNDER SECTION 26b OF CPR 15 AND 24b OF CPR 16

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Director of the Regional Office of Price Stabilization, No. III, pursuant to Delegation of Authority No. 8, Revision 1, Amendment 1 (18 F R. 336) this amendment to Redelegation of Authority No. 2 Revision 1 is hereby issued.

Redelegation of Authority No. 2 Revision 1 is amended in the following respects:

- 1. A new item 2 is inserted after item 1 to read as follows:
- 2. Authority to act under sec. 26b of CPR 15 and 24b of CPR 16. Authority is hereby redelegated to each of the District Directors of the Office of Price Stabilization in Region III to take appropriate action under section 26b of CPR 15 and under section 24b of CPR 16.

This amendment to Redelegation of Authority No. 10 shall take effect as of January 26, 1953.

JOSEPH J. McBryan, Director of Regional Office No. III. FEBRUARY 16, 1953.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1663; Filed, Feb. 16, 1953; 4:57 p. m.]

[Region VI, Redelegation of Authority 54]
DIRECTORS OF DISTRICT OFFICES, REGION
VI, CLEVELAND, OHIO

REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO ACT UNDER GOR 40—ADJUSTMENT FOR RETAILERS

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Director of the Regional Office of Price Stabilization, No. VI, pursuant to Delegation of Authority No. 88 (18 F. R. 613) this Redelegation of Authority No. 54 is hereby issued.

1. Authority to act under section 5 of GOR 40. Authority is hereby redele-

gated to the Directors of the District Offices of Price Stabilization located at Detroit, Michigan and Louisville, Kentucky to act in accordance with sections 3 and 4 of this regulation on any application for adjustment filed pursuant thereto which has been referred under the provisions of section 5 by the National Office or the Regional Office.

This redelegation of authority shall take effect as of February 6, 1953.

A. H. Anderson, Acting Regional Director, Region VI. February 16, 1953.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1664; Filed, Feb. 16, 1953; 4:57 p. m.]

[Region VII, Redelegation of Authority 3, Revision 1, Amdt. 1]

DIRECTORS OF DISTRICT OFFICES, REGION VII, CHICAGO, ILL.

REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO ACT ON APPLICATIONS PERTAINING TO CERTAIN FOOD AND RESTAURANT COMMODITIES; AUTHORITY TO ACT UNDER SECTION 26b OF CPR 15 AND 24b OF CPR 16

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Director of the Regional Office of Price Stabilization, No. VII, pursuant to Delegation of Authority No. 8, Revision 1, Amendment 1 (18 F R. 336) this amendment to Redelegation of Authority No. 3, Revision 1, is hereby issued.

Redelegation of Authority 3, Revision 1, is amended in the following respects:

- 1. A new item 2 is inserted after item 1 to read as follows:
- 2. Authority to act under section 26b of CPR 15 and 24b of CPR 16. Authority is hereby redelegated to the Directors of the District Offices of Price Stabilization to take appropriate action under section 26b of CPR 15 and under section 24b of CPR 16.

This Amendment 1 to Redelegation of Authority No. 3, Revision 1, shall be effective February 16, 1953.

B. EMMET HARTNETT, Director of Regional Office No. VII. FEBRUARY 16, 1953.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1665; Filed, Feb. 16, 1953; 4:57 p. m.]

[Region X, Redelegation of Authority 55]
DIRECTORS OF DISTRICT OFFICES, REGION
X, DALLAS, TEX.

REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO ACT UNDER GOR 40—ADJUSTMENTS FOR RETAILERS

By virtue of the authority vested in me as the Director of the Regional Office of Price Stabilization, No. X, Dallas, Texas, pursuant to Delegation of Authority 88, (18 F. R. 613) this Region X Redelegation of Authority No. 55 is hereby issued.

1. Authority to act under section 5 of GOR 40. Authority is hereby redelegated to the Directors of the District Offices, Office of Price Stabilization, Region X to act in accordance with sections 3 and 4 of this regulation on any application for adjustment filed pursuant thereto, which has been referred under the provisions of section 5 by the National Office or the Regional Office.

This redelegation of authority shall take effect as of February 6, 1953.

B. Frank White, Director of Regional Office No. X.

FEBRUARY 16, 1953.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1666; Filed, Feb. 16, 1953; 4:57 p. m.]

[Region XI, Redelegation of Authority 61]

DIRECTORS OF ALL DISTRICT OFFICES, REGION XI, DENVER, COLO.

REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO ACT UNDER GOR 40—ADJUSTMENTS FOR RETAILERS

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Director of the Regional Office of Price Stabilization, No. XI, pursuant to Delegation of Authority No. 88 (18 F R. 613) this redelegation of authority is hereby issued.

1. Authority to act under section 5 of GOR 40. Authority is hereby redelegated to each of the District Directors of the Office of Price Stabilization in Region XI to act in accordance with sections 3 and 4 of this regulation on any application for adjustment filed pursuant thereto, which has been referred under the provisions of section 5 by the National Office and this Regional Office.

This Redelegation of Authority No. 61 shall take effect as of February 2, 1953.

Delbert M. Draper, Regional Director

FEBRUARY 16, 1953.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1667; Filed, Fob. 16, 1953; 4:57 p. m.]

[Region XI, Redelegation of Authority 2, Revision 1, Amdt. 1]

DIRECTORS OF ALL DISTRICT OFFICES, REGION XI, DENVER, COLO.

REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO ACT ON AP-PLICATIONS PERTAINING TO CERTAIN FOOD AND RESTAURANT COMMODITIES; AUTHOR-ITY TO ACT UNDER SECTION 26b OF CPR 15 AND 24b OF CPR 16

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Director of the Regional Office of Price Stabilization, No. XI, pursuant to Delegation of Authority No. 8, Revision 1, Amendment 1, issued January 14, 1953 (18 F. R. 336) this Amendment 1 to Redelegation of Authority No. 2, Revision 1, is hereby issued:

Redelegation of Authority No. 2, Revision 1, is amended by adding a new Item 2 after Item 1 to read as follows:

2. Authority to act under section 26b of CPR 15 and 24b of CPR 16. Authority is hereby redelegated to the Directors of the District Office in Region XI, Office of Price Stabilization, to take appropriate action under section 26b of CPR 15 and section 24b of CPR 16.

This Amendment 1 to Redelegation of Authority No. 2, Revision 1, shall take effect as of January 28, 1953.

> DELBERT M. DRAPER, Regional Director

FEBRUARY 16, 1953.

[F. R. Doc. 53-1668; Filed, Feb. 16, 1953; 4:57 p. m.]